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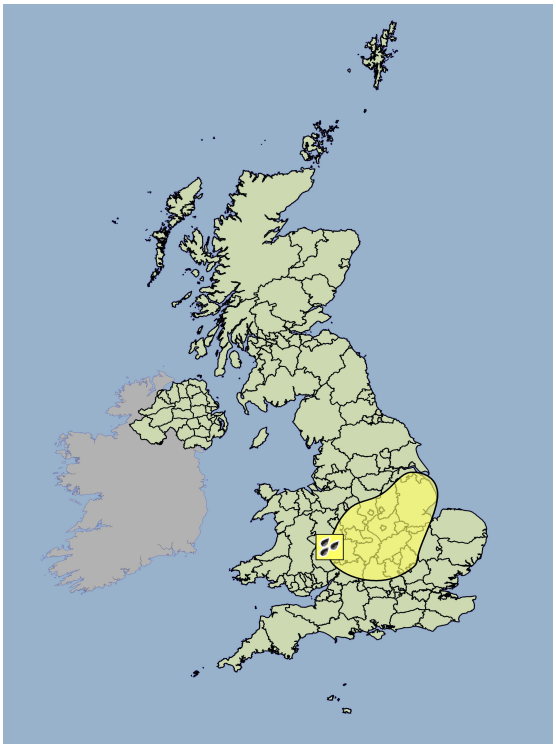

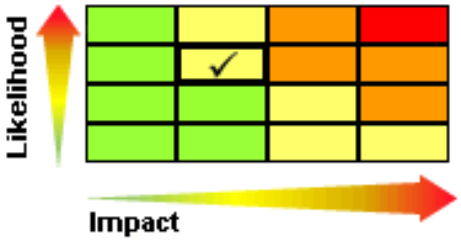

Chief Forecasters Assessment
The vigorous depression that developed overnight, is centred near the Isle of Wight at the time of issue, and will begin to gradually fill as it edges towards northern France later today. Rainfall totals of 20 to 40 mm have been registered in a number of areas, but from now on rainfall rates will be ramping down, although a few places may see a further 10 to 15 mm.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **11:00 on Wed, 09th Mar 2016** until **15:00 on Wed, 09th Mar 2016**

Persistent rain, heavy at times, has affected many areas of southern Britain overnight and on Wednesday morning, accompanied by strong to gale force winds in places. The rain will continue but will gradually become less heavy through the afternoon.

This warning removes parts of Wales and southern England from the warning area, since the heaviest rainfall has now cleared these areas - although there could be a few residual flooding impacts. The update also removes mention of snow, which is a lower likelihood from now on.

Please be aware of the risk of localised flooding and disruption to transport.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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